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SUBJ: ARAB JURISTS FEDERATION DENOUNCES
ALLEGED THREATS BY PRESIDENT CARTER AND
WILL RAISE ISSUE AT GENEVA DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

1. IN STORY DATELINED BAGHDAD, FEBRUARY 22, IRAQ
NEWS AGENCY REPORTS REACTION OF ARAB JURISTS FEDERATION
TO RECENT STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT CARTER. ACCORDING TO
STORY, "U.S. PRESIDENT RECENTLY THREATENED THE OIL
EXPORTING COUNTRIES WITH A TOTAL EMBARGO IF THEY RENEWED
THE OIL EMBARGO ON AMERICA."

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2. REPORTED REACTION IS AS FOLLOWS: "THE ARAB JURISTS
FEDERATION HAS DENOUNCED U.S. PRESIDENT CARTER'S THREATS
TO ARAB OIL PRODUCING COUNTRIES DESCRIBING THESE THREATS
AS A VIOLATION TO THE MOST SIMPLE NORMS OF INTERNATIONAL
LAW AND U.N. CHARTER.

IN A STATEMENT TO INA, AJF SECRETARY GENERAL
MR. SHIBIB AL-MALIKI SAID THESE THREATS ENDANGER

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY AND PEACE.

MR. MALIKI SAID THE FEDERATION WILL RAISE THESE
THREATS AT THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF NON-
GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS ON DISARMAMENT DUE TO BE
HELD IN GENEVA ON THE 27TH OF NEXT MONTH."

3. COMMENT: AJF IS A BAGHDAD BASED ORGANIZATION AND
MILIKI IS AN IRAQI. WE ARE NOT SURE OF ITS CREDENTIALS
AS SPOESMAN FOR ARAB LEGAL COMMUNITY AT LARGE.
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